



Jet-Surface Interaction Test: Phase 1 Results and Phase 2 Planning

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Jet/Surface Interaction Noise

Noise created by the high-speed jet exhaust striking or passing near a solid surface

- Jet/Surface Interaction Noise is a problem for both current and future aircraft
- Jet/Surface Interaction Noise is a problem for sub-sonic and supersonic aircraft
- Jet/Surface Interaction Noise is difficult to predict accurately with current tools/codes
- Experimental data is limited or unavailable
- We will expand the definition to include noise noise shield and propagation issues

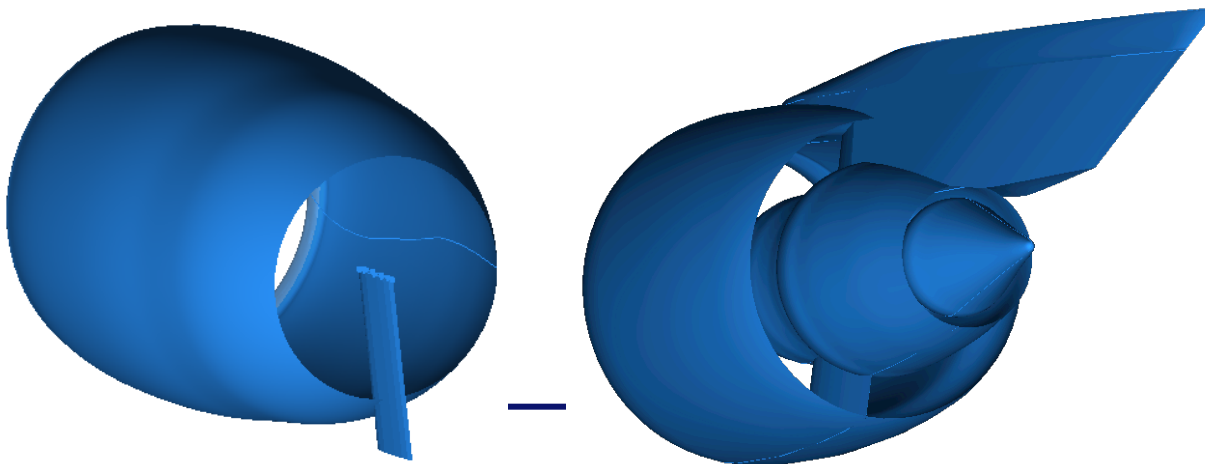




Jet/Surface Interaction Test (JSIT) - Objective

Establish a quality dataset, noise and flow data, to create/improve/validate aircraft noise prediction codes and methods that include the affect of aircraft surfaces on jet noise

1. Include noise shielding and propagation as well as any new sources of noise
2. Many configurations possible – wings, flaps, pylons, JBD – but keep geometry simple and generic, building complexity over time
3. Investigate / develop flow measurement techniques applicable to high-speed flow near a surface
4. Test will covers several “Phases” that build on each other



Jet/Surface Interaction Test – Phase 1



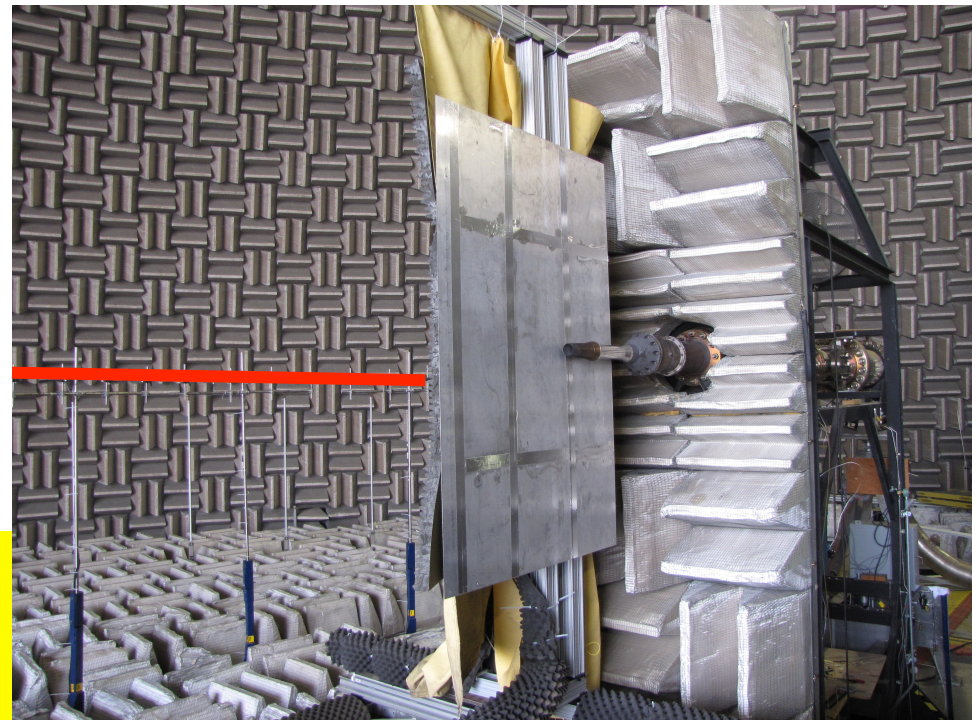
- Objectives:

1. Acquire far-field and phased array acoustic data for a jet near a flat surface for development of noise prediction codes
2. Acquire data for a wide range of surface positions to determine “regions of interest” for simulations and future testing
3. Acquire transient pressure data at the surface – future flow measurement?
4. Acquire pressure data at the surface (steady and transient) using pressure sensitive paint –future flow measurement?

Test details:

- Single geometry–flat plate parallel to the jet axis with tapered trailing edge
- Far-field and phased-array acoustic data acquired in “shielded” and “reflected” position
- Acquired data at subsonic and supersonic jet conditions for all surface positions
- Surface integrity shown by phased array

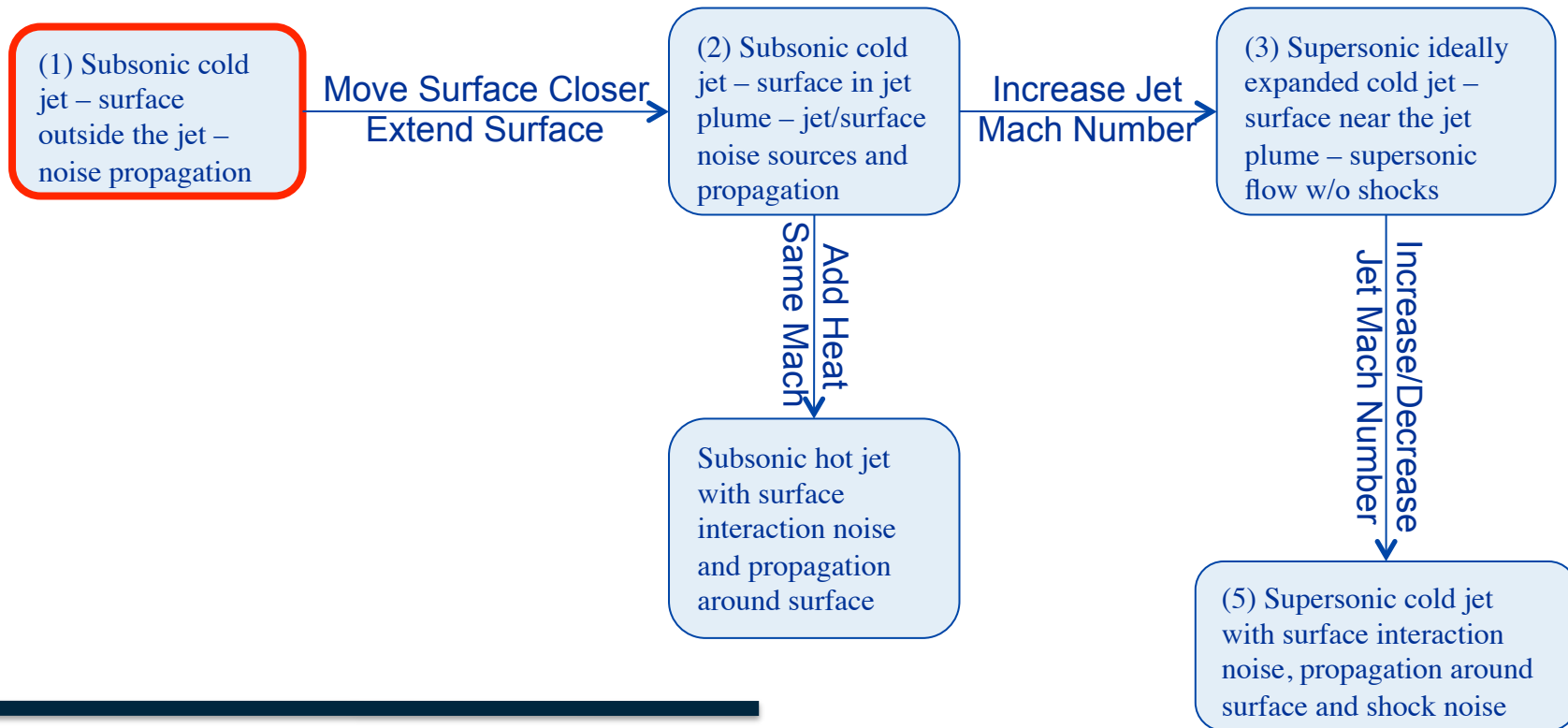
Simple geometry where complexity increases with choice of surface position and jet exit condition



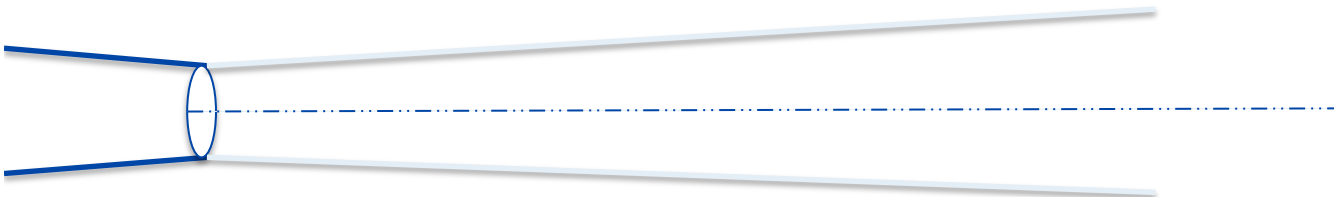


JSIT Phase 1 Planning - Methodology

Provide a dataset that (1) progressively builds complexity using a single geometry and that (2) shows “regions of interest” for simulations and Phase 2 testing



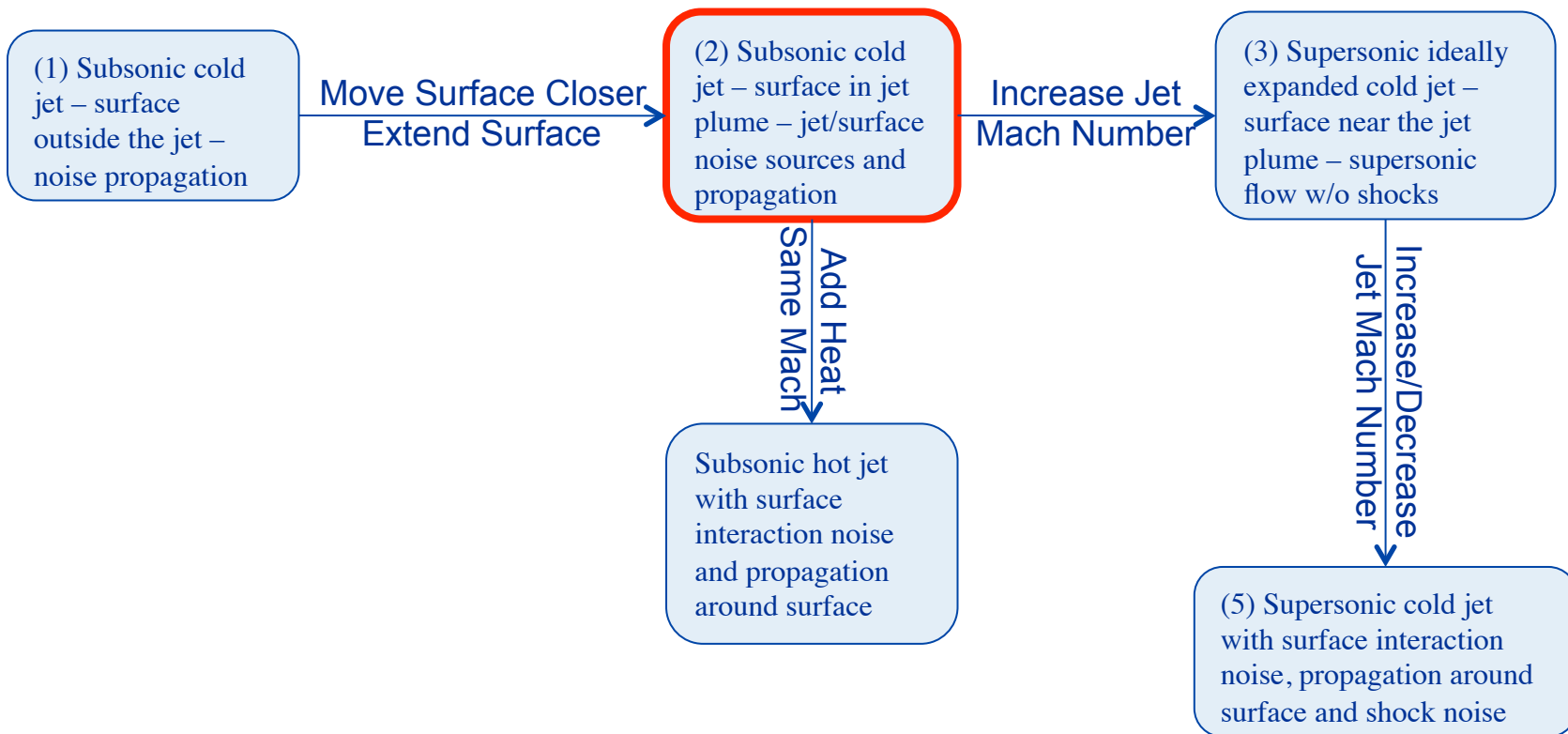
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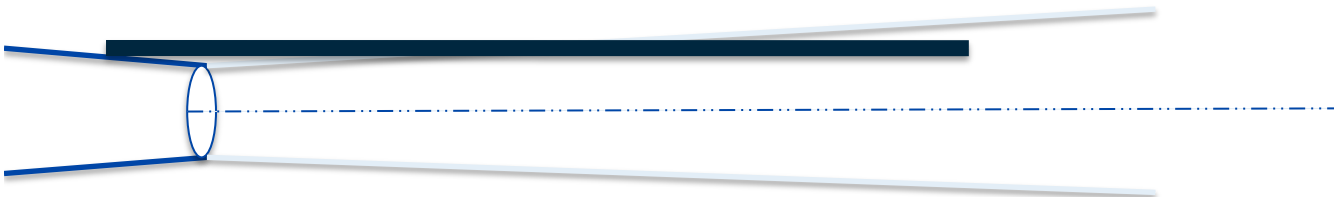


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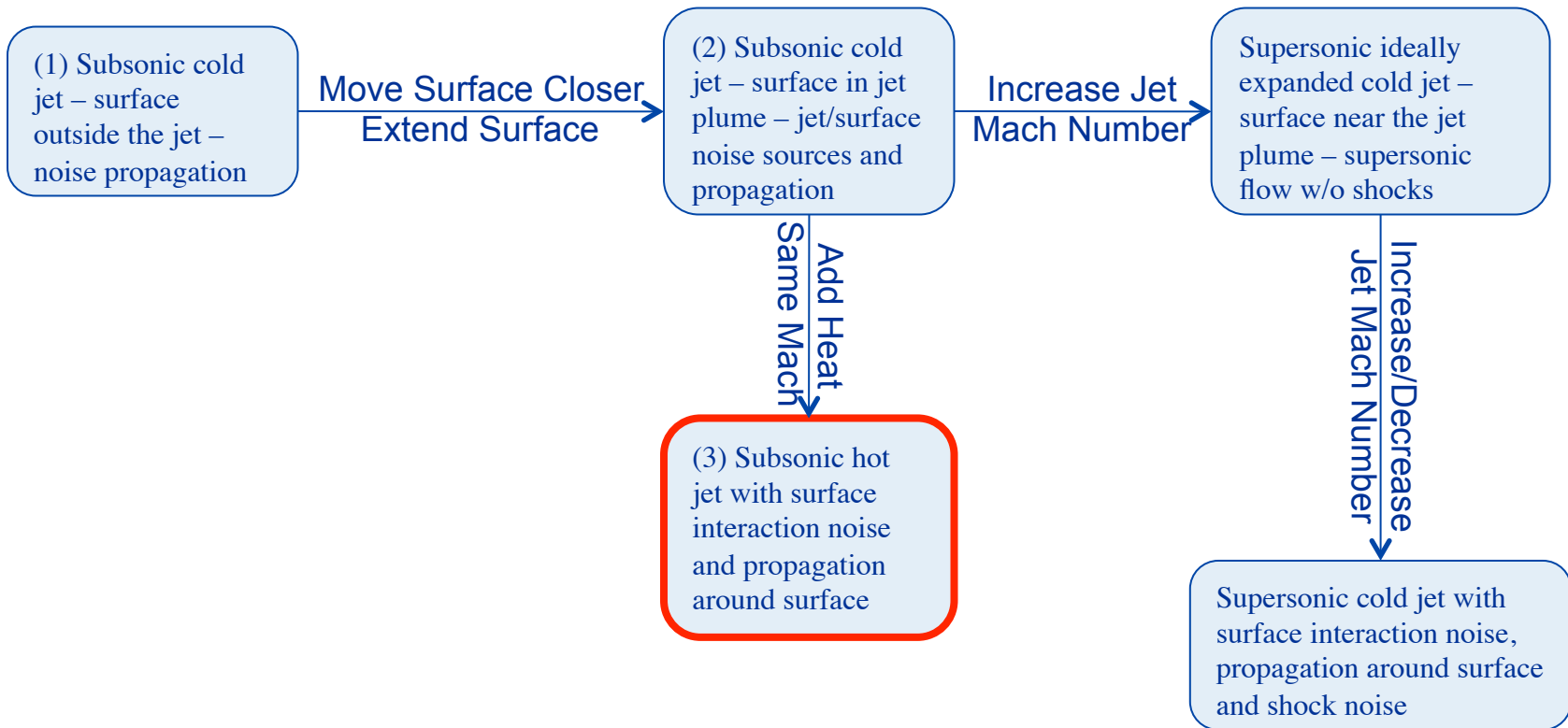
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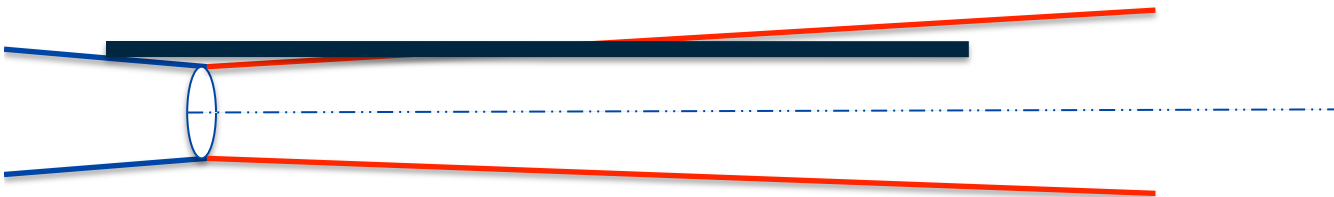


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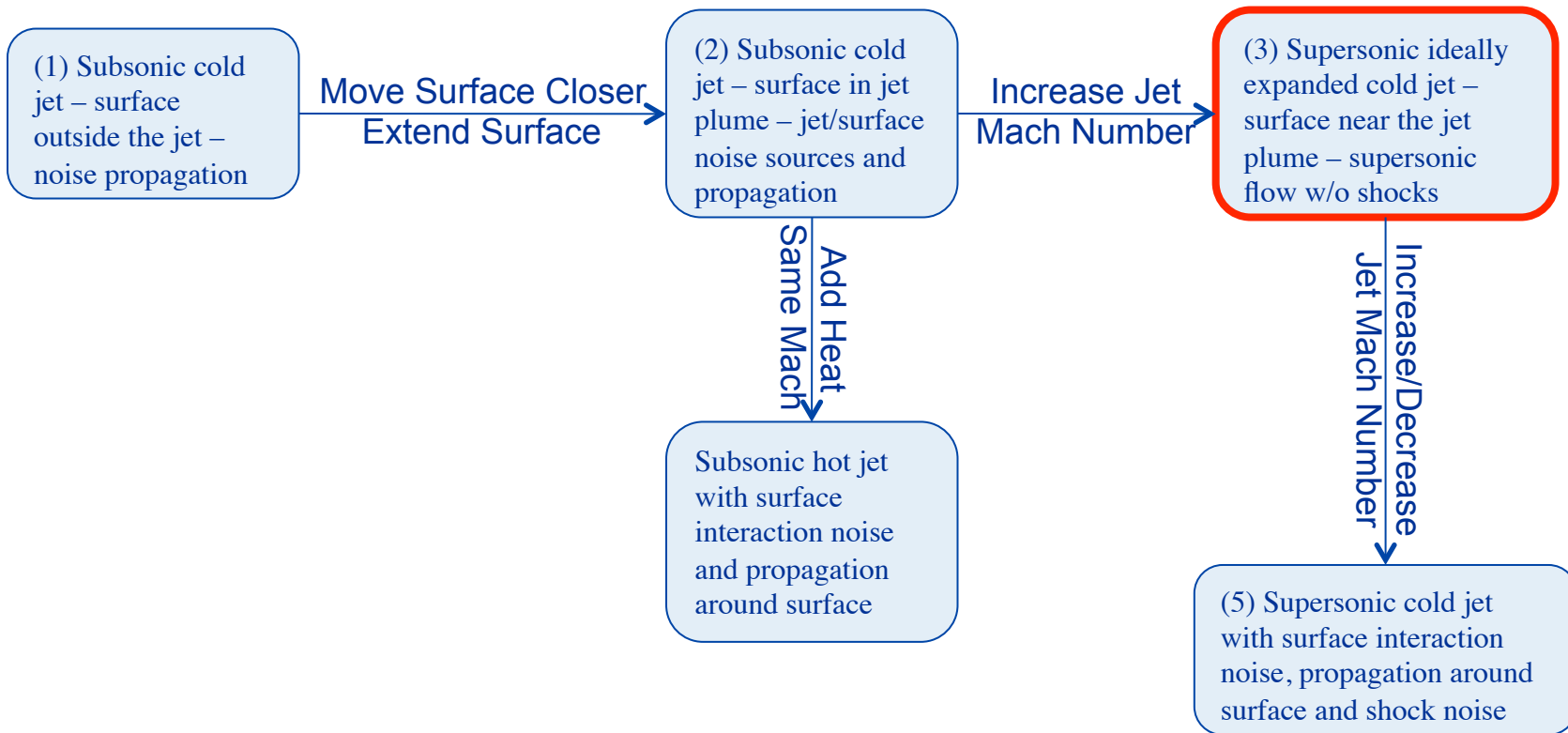
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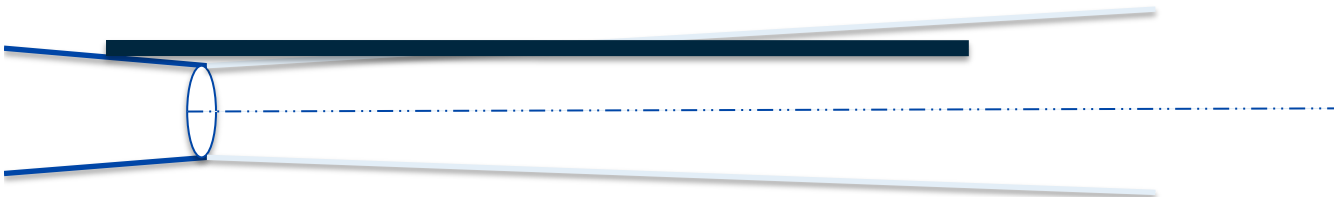


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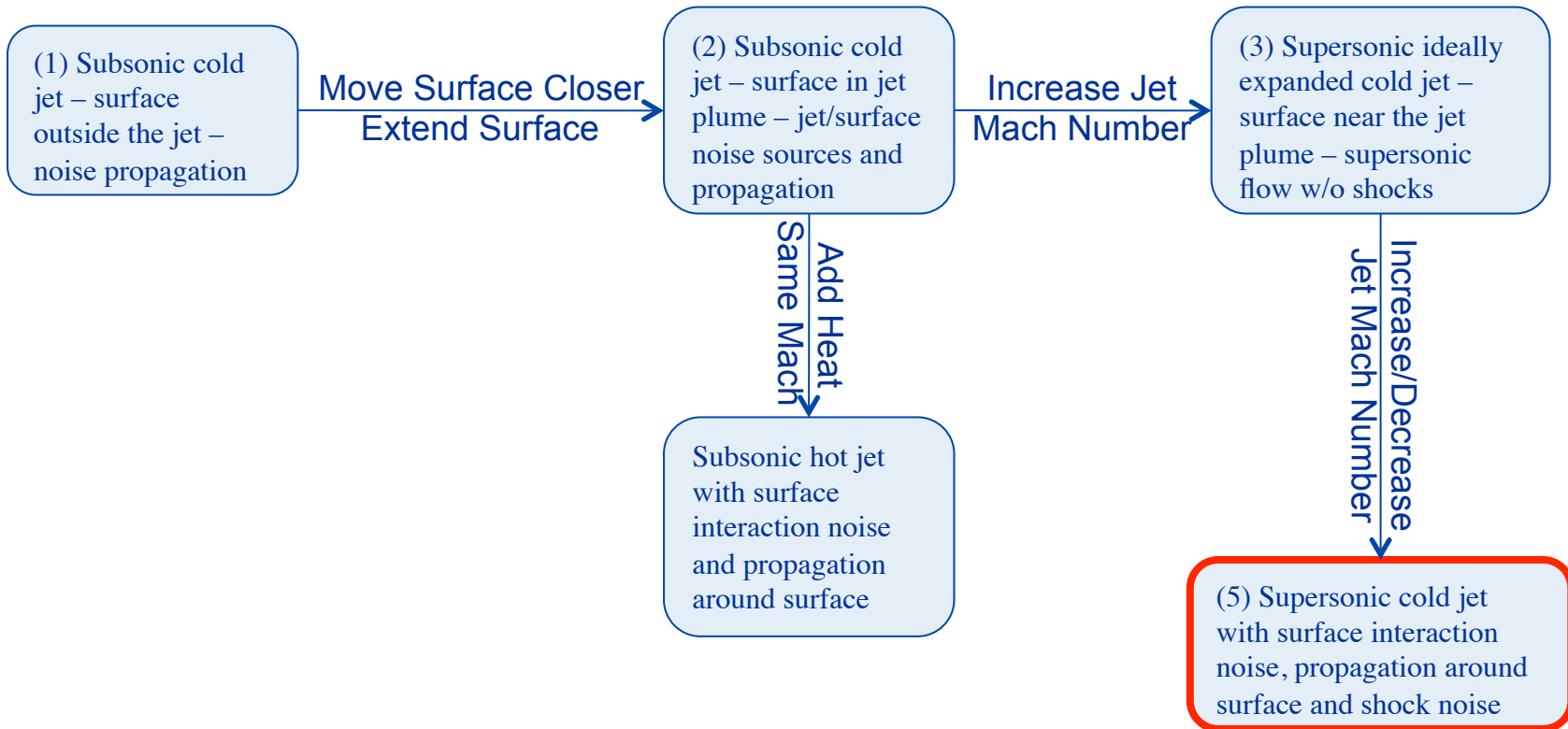
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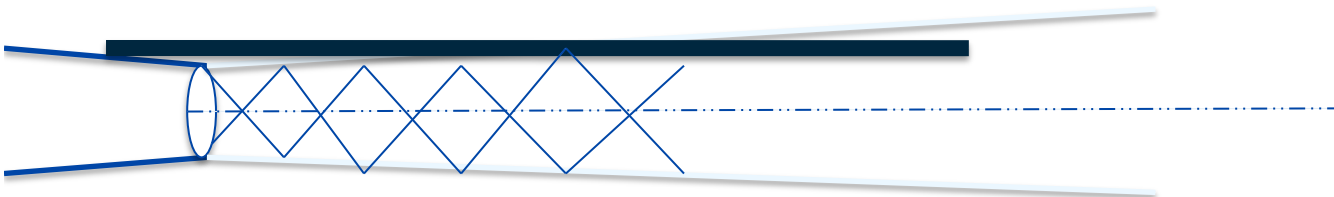


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Provide a dataset that (1) progressively builds complexity and that (2) shows “regions of interest” for simulations and flow measurements



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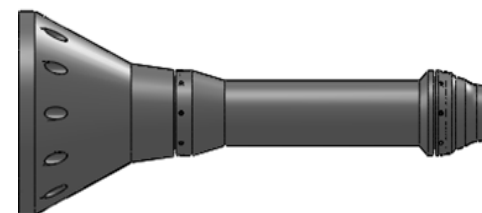




JSIT Phase 1 - Jet Exit Conditions

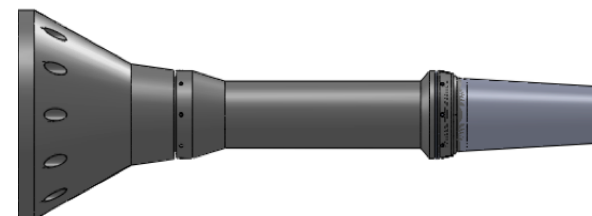
Convergent Round Nozzle (SMC000)

Setpoint	NPR $P_{j,t}/P_a$	NTR $T_{j,s}/T_a$	Ma V_j/c_a	Mj V_j/c_j
3	1.197	0.95	0.5	0.51
7	1.86	0.835	0.9	0.98
27	1.36	1.764	0.9	0.68
46	1.227	2.7	0.9	0.55
9010	3.182	0.74	1.18	1.40

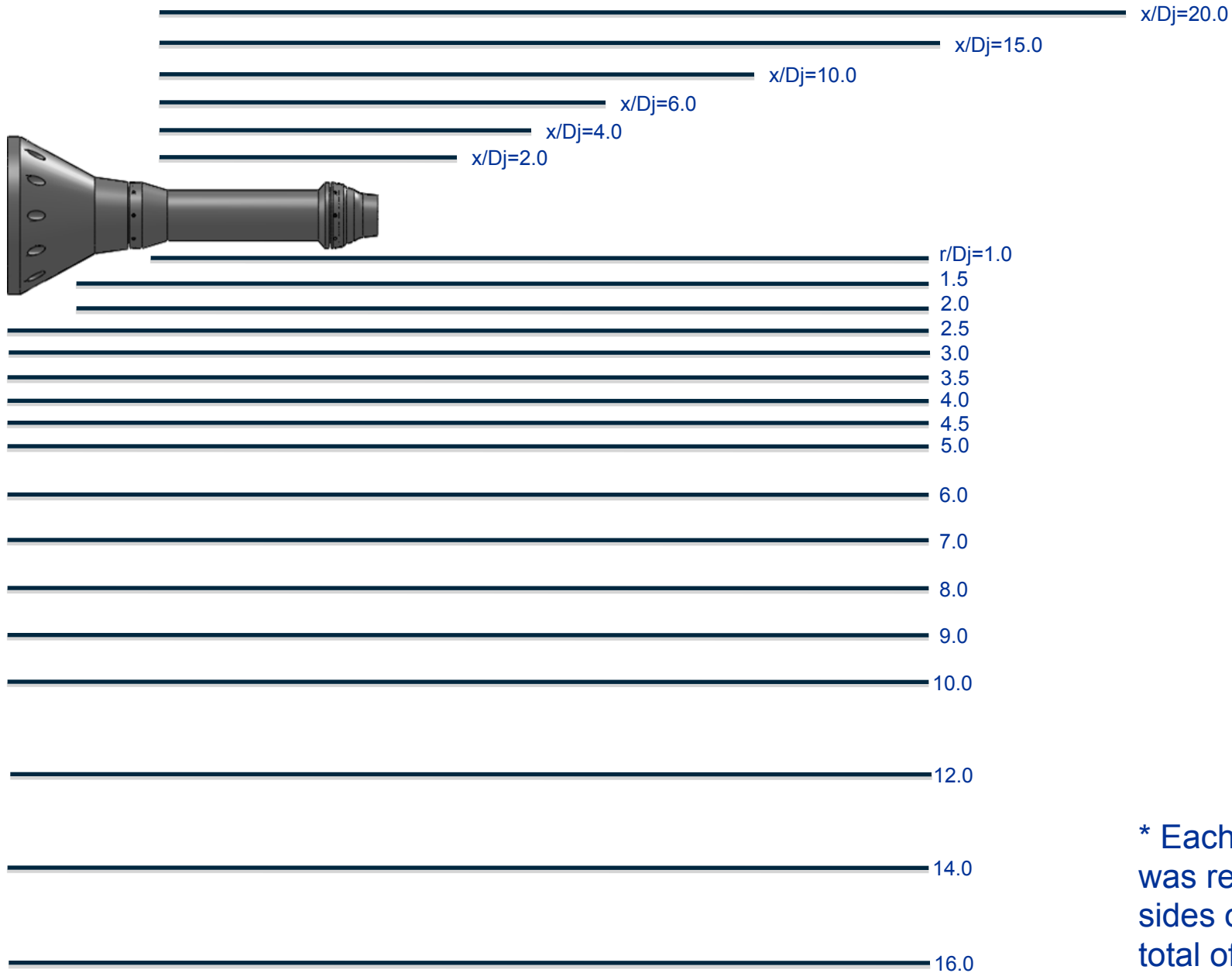


C-D Round Nozzle (SMC016), $M_d=1.5$

Setpoint	NPR $P_{j,t}/P_a$	NTR $T_{j,s}/T_a$	Ma V_j/c_a	Mj V_j/c_j
11606	2.748	0.761	1.128	1.29
11610	3.670	0.706	1.31	1.5
11617	4.324	0.671	1.41	1.61



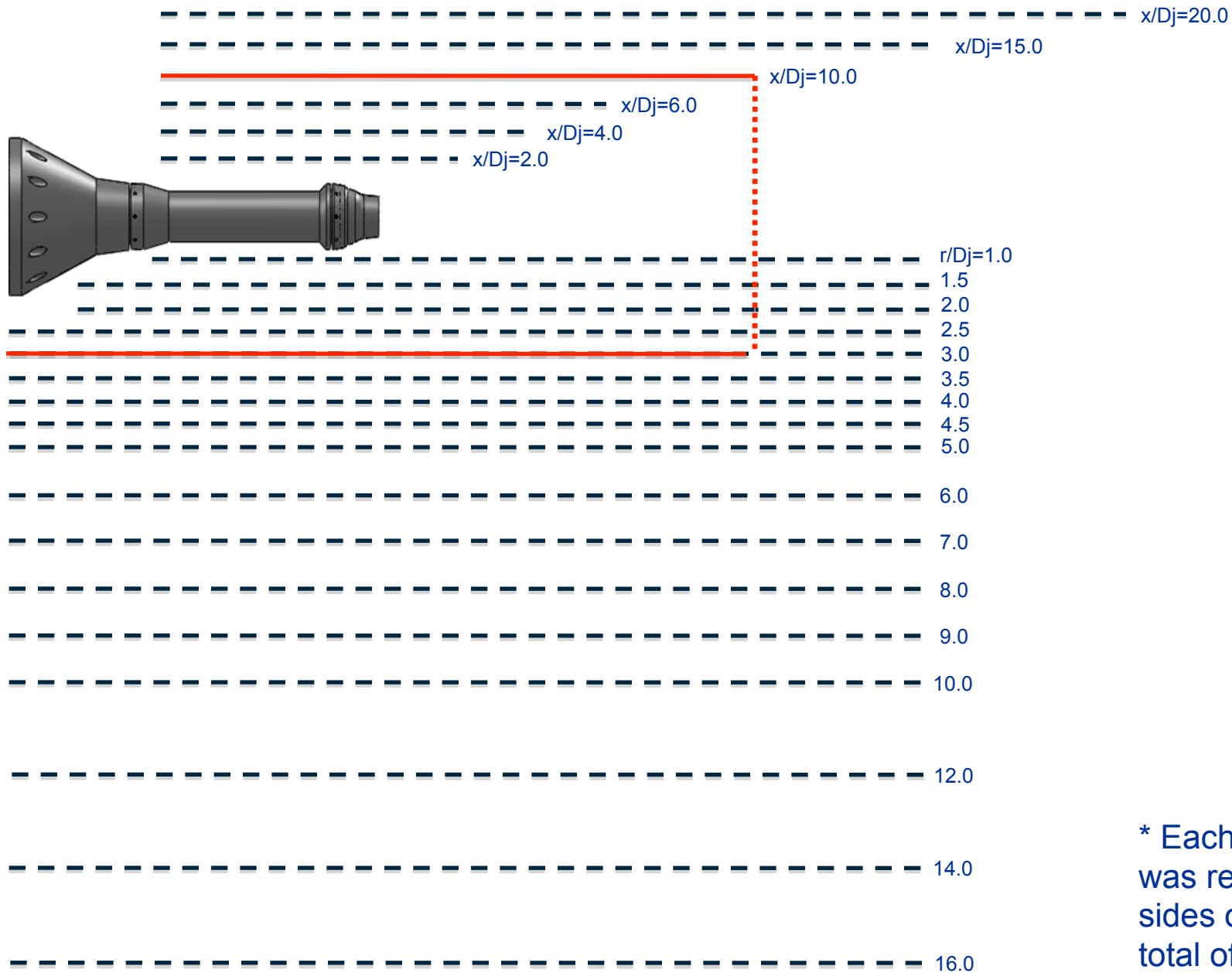
JSIT Phase 1 – Surface Positions



* Each surface location was repeated on both sides of the jet for a total of 204 positions



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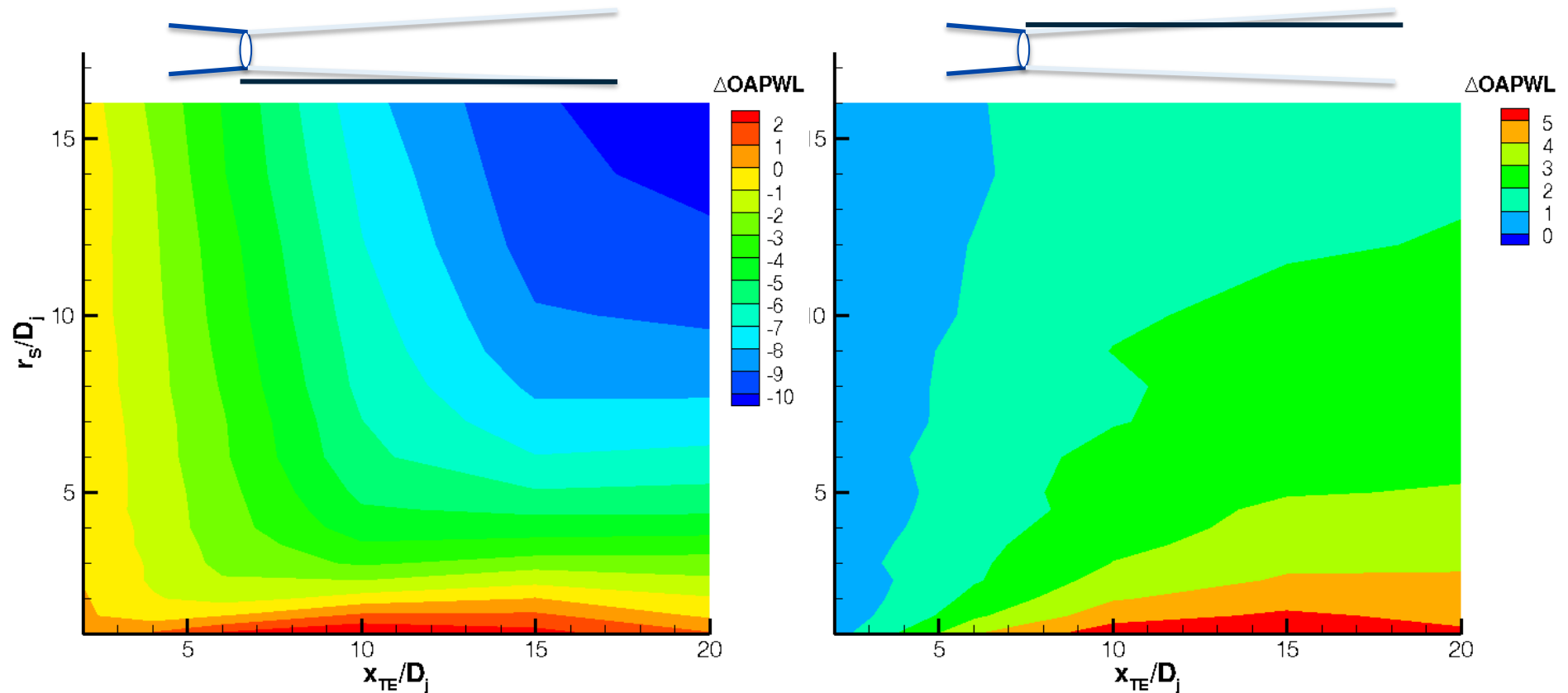


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Overall Sound Power Level – $M_a=0.9$

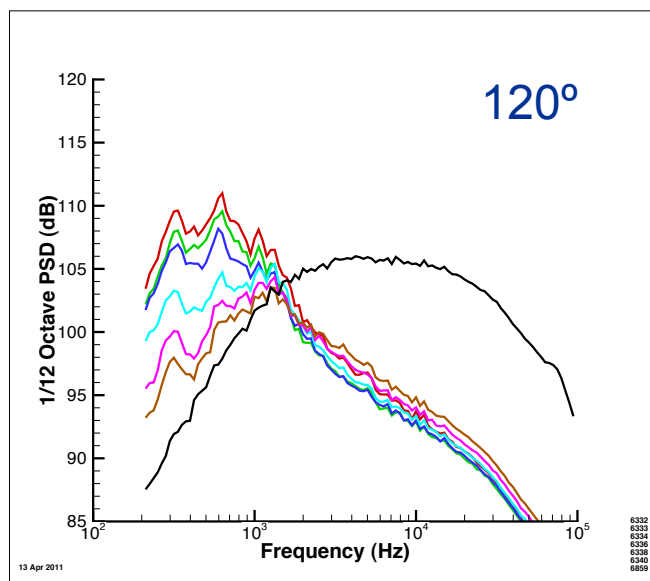
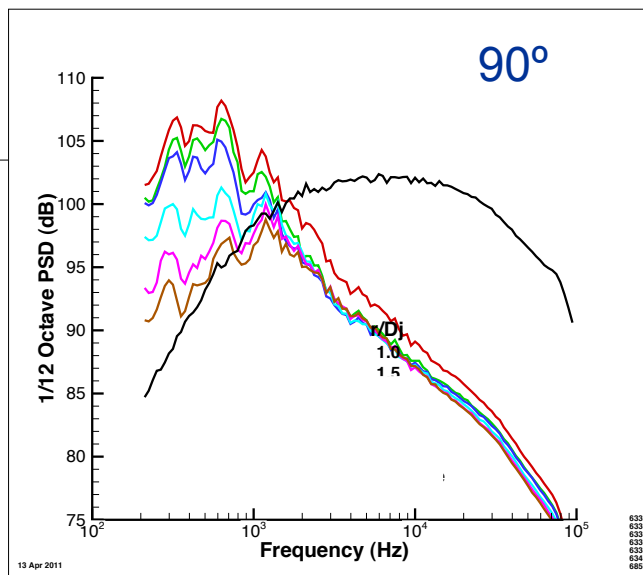
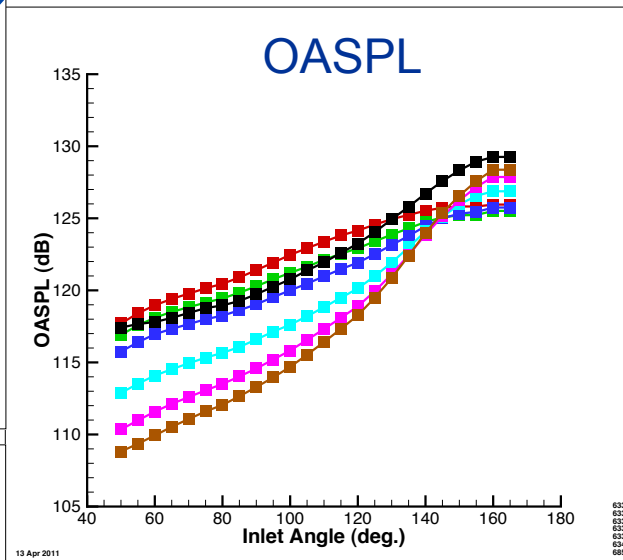
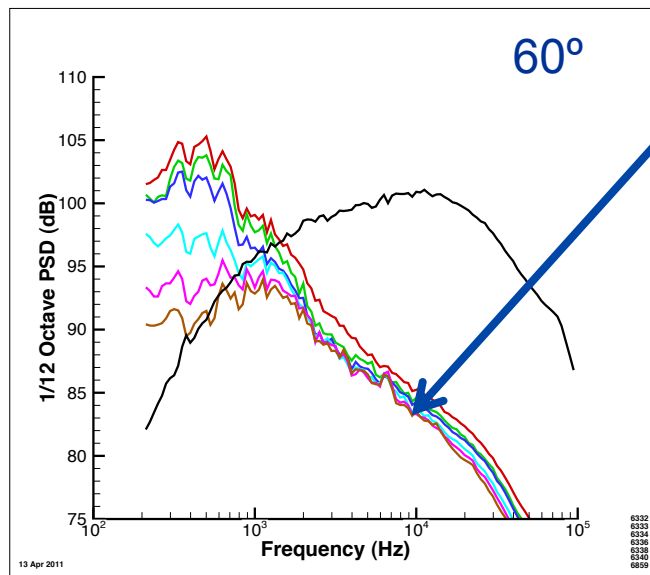
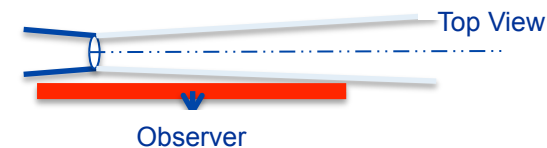
Integrate in space and frequency for each surface position at a given jet condition to show the net effect of the surface
(balance between shielding noise and creating new noise)



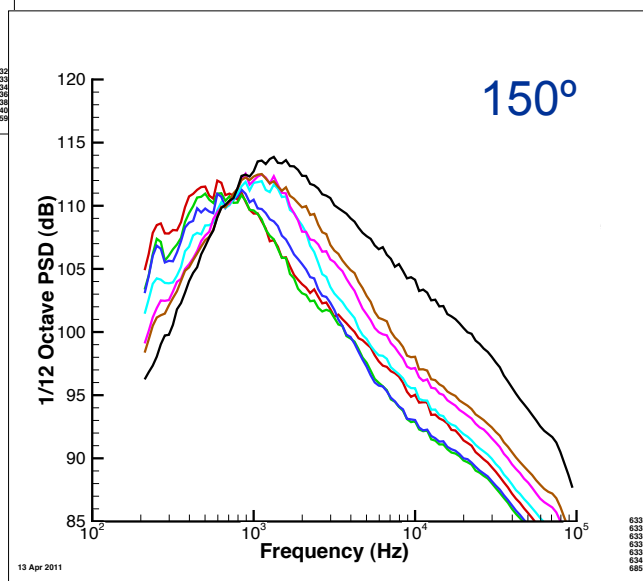
* Note the change in scales between the two plots

JSIT Phase 1 – Noise Shielding

SP7, $x/D_j=15$



$r/D_j=1.0$
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 $r/D_j=2.0$
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 baseline

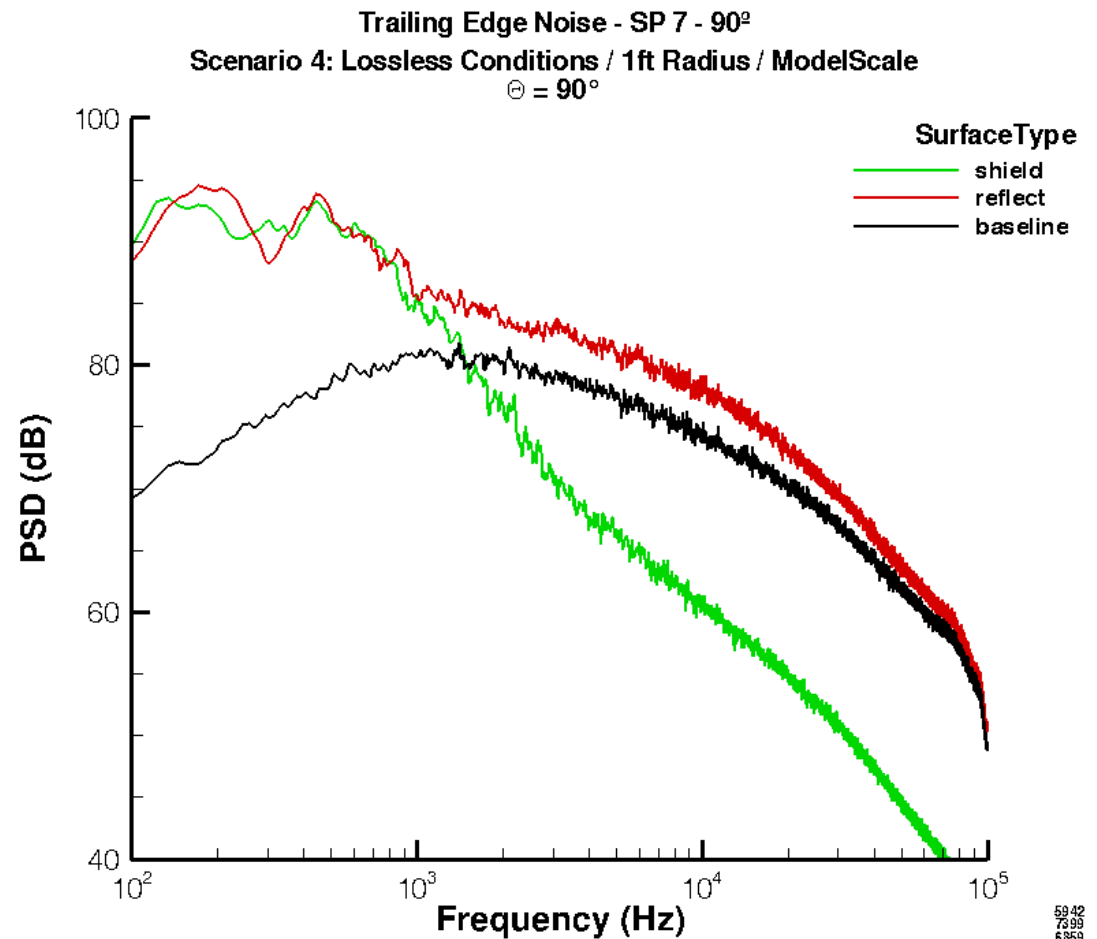




JSIT Phase 1 - Trailing Edge Noise

$$x_{TE}/D_j = 15, r/D_j = 1.5, SP 7$$

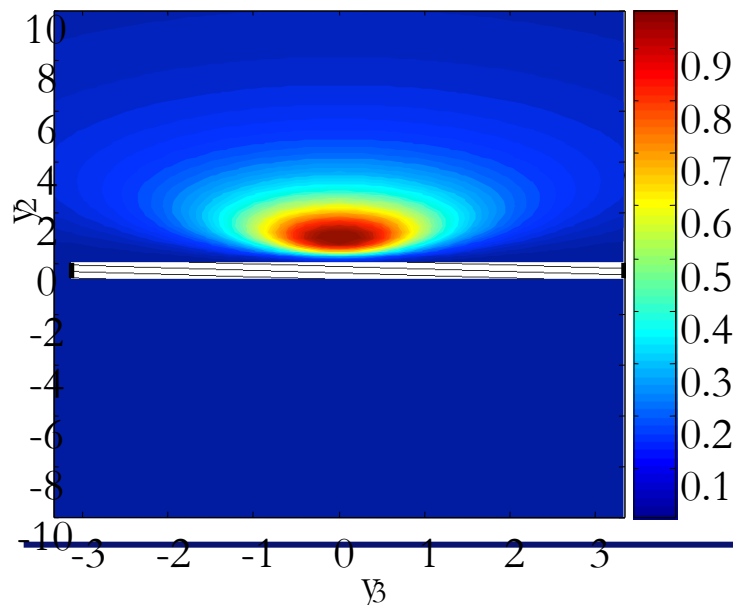
- Low frequency noise appears on both sides of the jet
- Phased array shows a noise source at the trailing edge
- Is it dependent in any way on the geometry of the trailing edge?
- This is a “region of interest” to understand the physics behind this noise source





Theoretical Work by Afsar and Goldstein

- Rapid-Flow Distortion theory can be used to calculate the sound generated through solid surface interaction
- Gives a very general result that has been applied to the problem of trailing edge noise
- The solution requires the Wiener-Hopf technique which is implemented on conformally mapped equations to facilitate the analysis
- Solution quality is dependent on choice of mapping so cross stream PIV at or near the surface trailing edge would be useful



Current status:

We have performed the formal Wiener-Hopf factorization and are going to solve the resulting equation in the low frequency limit since the singularity due to the conformal mapping Jacobian can be dealt with in that limit (maybe).

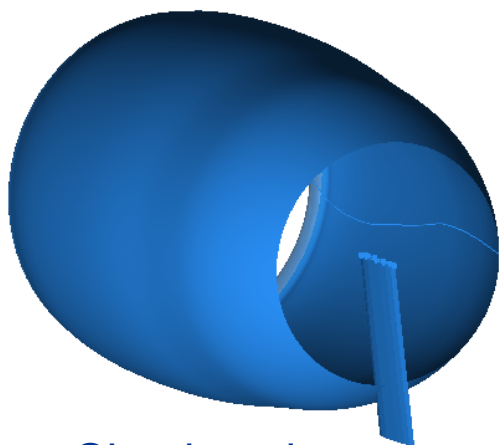
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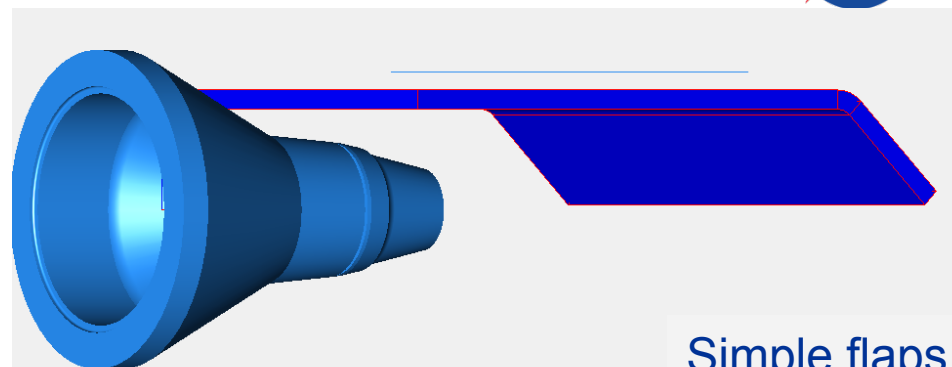
JSIT Phase 2 – Planning

- What should Phase 2 include to be of maximum benefit to developing prediction methods?
- Constraints:
 - Single flow jet, $D_j=2''$
 - 8 week test window
- More flow conditions?
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JSIT Phase 2 – More Geometries?



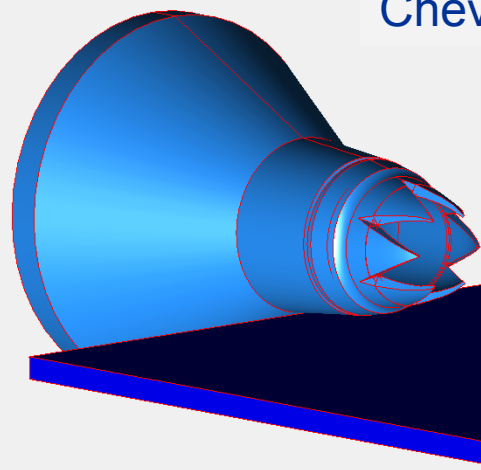
Simple pylon



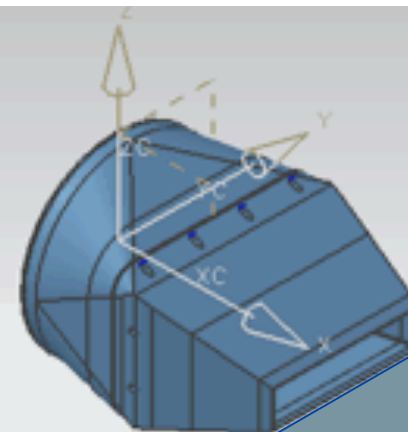
Simple flaps



Trailing Edge Shape



Chevrons with Surface



Rectangular Nozzles



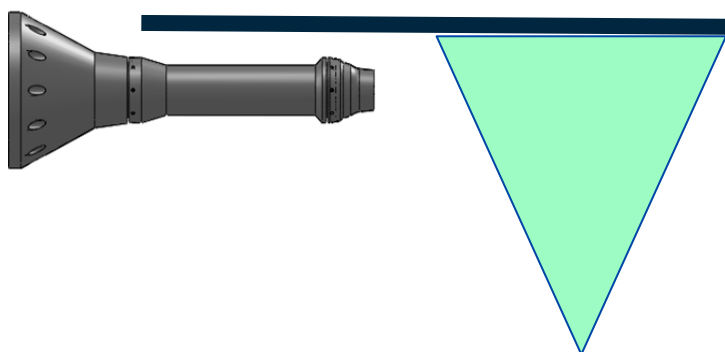
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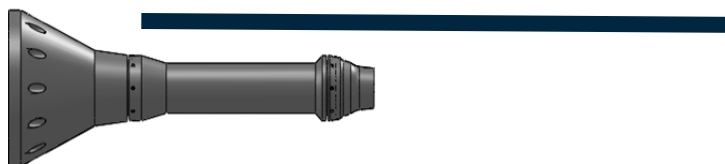


JSIT Phase 2 – Flow Data?

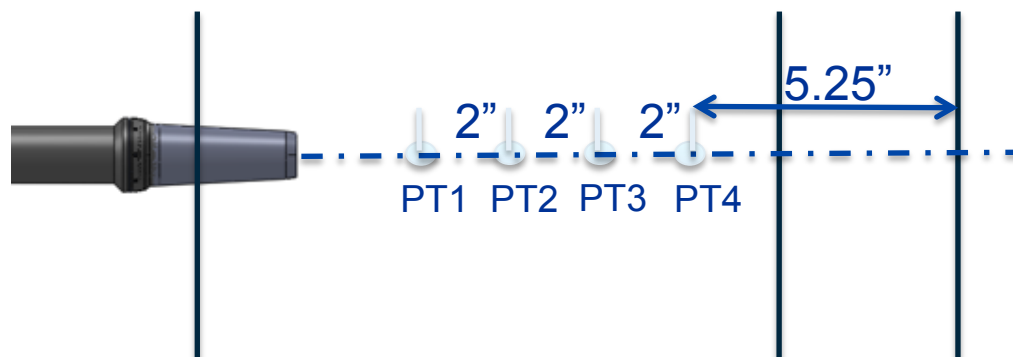
Streamwise PIV



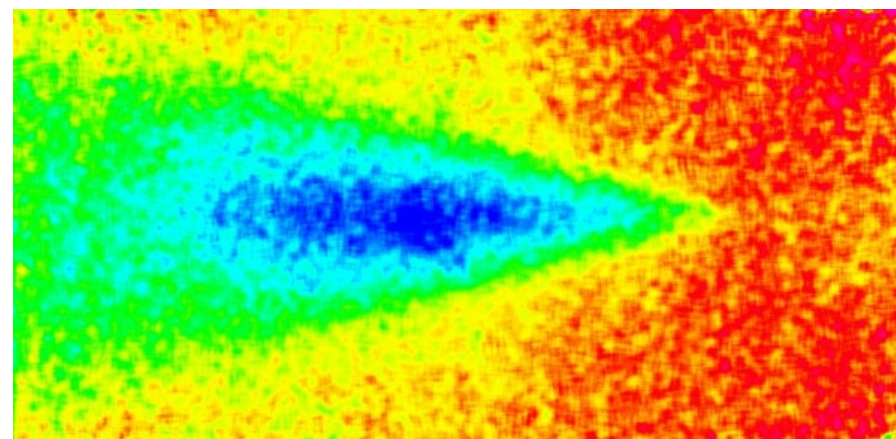
Cross-Stream PIV



Transient Wall Pressure Measurements



Pressure Sensitive Paint



Pressure Ratio 0.98 1.00



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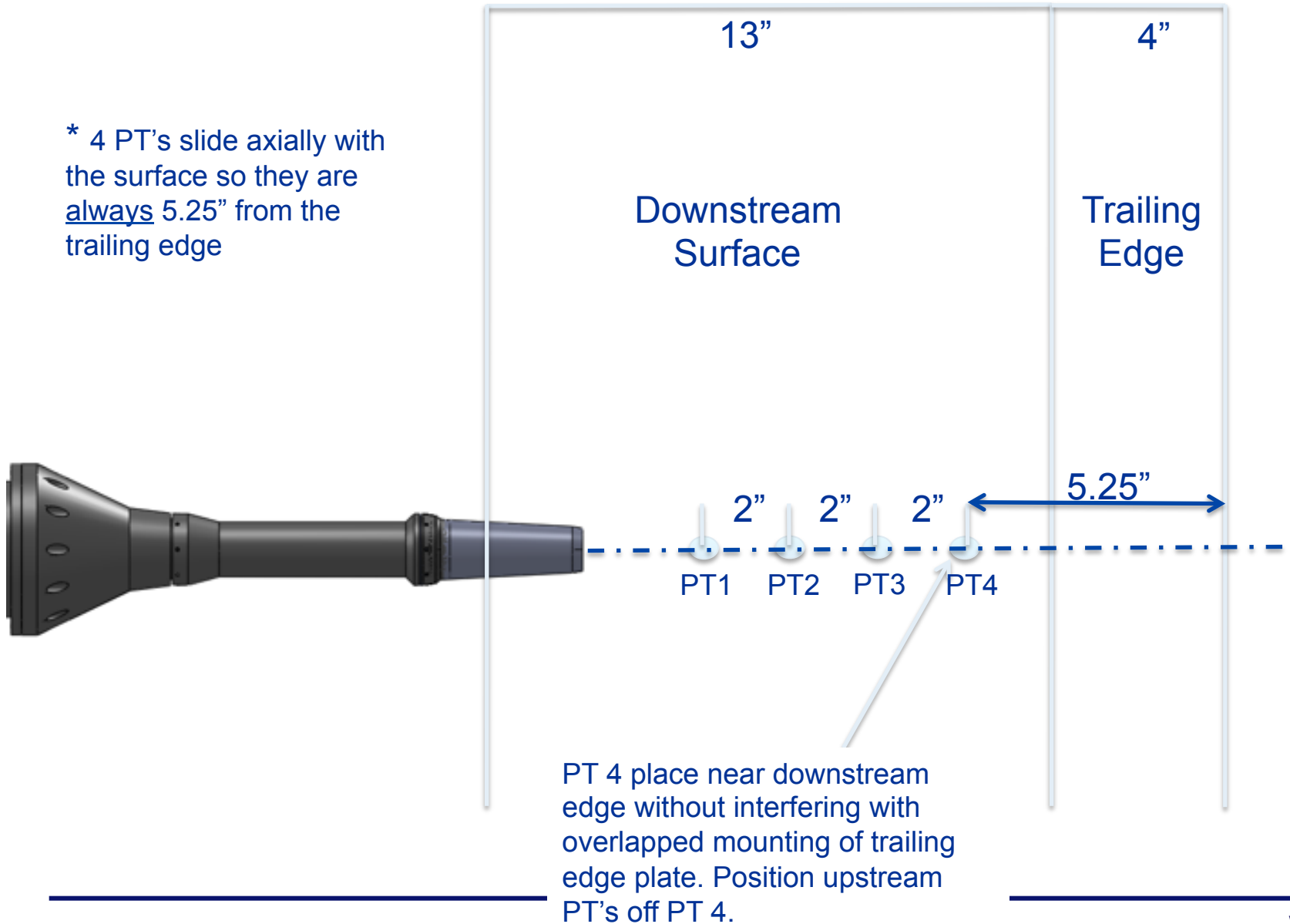
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- More flow data?
- Other ideas?
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If you are developing a noise prediction code, we need your input?



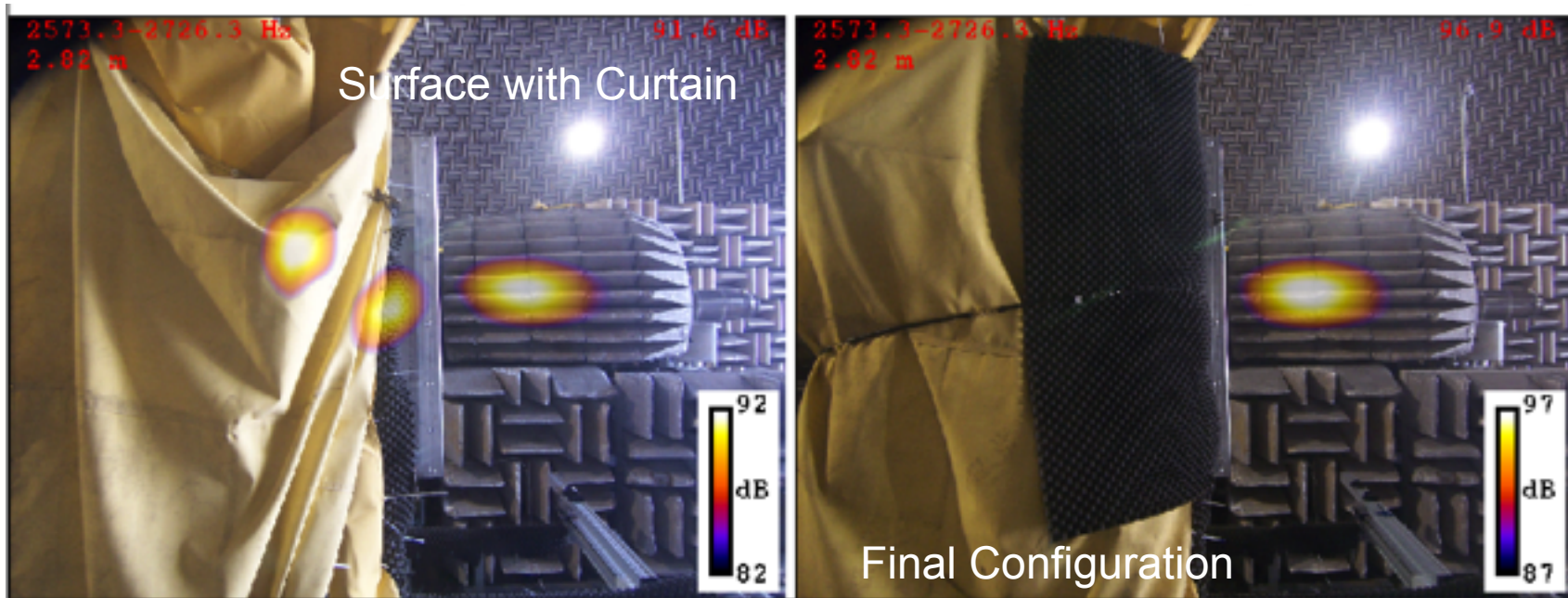
Pressure Transducers from Phase 1

* 4 PT's slide axially with the surface so they are always 5.25" from the trailing edge





Reflections on Back of Surface



- No sound passing from upstream of surface
- **Curtain alone is a source of sound reflection**
- Curtain is tied back to reduce area for reflection and
- Eggcrate panel greatly reduces noise reflected to microphone (>10 dB)